

August 10, 2009

MEDIA ADVISORY

USS *George Washington* Arrival and Crew Community Service Projects

USS *George Washington*, an aircraft carrier with the U.S. Navy's 7th Fleet, will arrive in Manila Bay on Tuesday, August 11 for a four-day goodwill visit that highlights the strong historic, community, and military connections between the United States and the Republic of the Philippines. During the visit, the talented crew of the USS *George Washington* will participate in a number of events in Metro Manila.

Commanded by Capt. David Lausman, USS *George Washington*'s crew conducts many community-service projects throughout the Asia-Pacific region on a regular basis, as a show of goodwill and partnership from the U.S. Navy.

Media interested in covering events should get in touch with each point of contact listed below and arrive no later than the time indicated.

Wednesday, August 12	Facilities Improvement Project, Veterans Memorial Medical Center Quezon City at 10 AM Contact: Samantha de Leon 0908-190-3916
	Interactive Read Along with Eco-Defenders at Hermenegildo Atienza Elementary School in Baseco, Tondo, Manila at 10 AM Contact: Jose del Rosario 0920-524-3955
	Construction of a New Library, Nangka High School, Camacho Road, Barangay Nangka, Marikina City at 10 AM Contact: Victor John DJ Platon 0917-857-4916
Thursday, August 13	Tree Planting Project, The Capas National Shrine at 10:30 AM Contact: Samantha de Leon 0908-190-3916
	Outreach on TB and Flu Prevention, Payatas, Quezon City at 10 AM Contact: Jose del Rosario 0920-524-3955
	Library Construction, Reading, and Physical Education Assistance, Tipas National High School, A. Maglipon Street Tipas Taguig City at 10:30 AM Contact: John McGuire 0918-948-6453

Thursday, August 13	<p>Painting of School, Tanza Elementary School Brgy Tanza, Navotas City at 10 AM</p> <p>Contact: Angie Cabahug 0920-983-3433</p>
Friday, August 14	<p>Veteran Center Painting & Clean Up at 10 AM</p> <p>Contact: Samantha de Leon 0908-190-3916</p>
	<p>The Center of Excellence in Public Elementary Education (CENTEX), Jose Abad Santos St, Tondo, Manila at 10 AM</p> <p>Contact: John McGuire 0918-948-6453</p>
	<p>Florencio V Bernabe Jr. Memorial Hospital Visit, Brgy Lahuerta, Paranaque City at 10 AM</p> <p>Contact: Angie Cabahug 0920-983-3433</p>

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